Docket No. PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 10854ABCD (Large Entity) In Re Application Of: Bernd Gugel, et al. Confirmation No. Customer No. Group Art Unit Examiner Application No. Filing Date 1938 3732 23389 John J. Wilson February 23, 2004 10/784,677 MEDICINAL OR DENTAL HAND INSTRUMENT Invention: **COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of November 3, 2006 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Five months ☐ Four months ☐ Three months ☑ Two months ☐ One month April 3, 2007 until: **February 3, 2007** from: Date Date and is to be paid as follows: \$450 The fee for the extension of time is ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. ☑ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP ☑ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. Dated: March 20, 2007 Leopold Presser Registration No./19,827 that this correspondence is being *hereby certify deposited with the United States Postal Service with Scully, Scott, Murphy & Presser, P.C. sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope 400 Garden City Plaza - Suite 300 addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFP 1.8(a)] on Garden City, New York 11530 (516) 742-4343 (Date) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence cc: LP:jy Xyped or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence